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HELENA, MONTANA.

By J. E. W. Clarke.

"The first degree of folly is to hold one's self wise; the second, to profess it; the third, to despise council." Julian Lee who has been working in the knitting mills at Terry, N. Y., since the closing of Howard University arrived home this week. Mrs. James W. Crump will leave in a few days for Portland, Ore., where she will attend the National Encampment of the G. A. R. and visit friends. She will be gone about a month. The engagement ring is most beautiful, but neither he nor she will admit that congratulations are in order. We'll tell it as soon as we know the facts. Watch this column for a surprise. Brother Osborne. Mrs. Calvin Armstrong and grandniece, Ida May Mackey, of Seattle, Wash., arrived in Helena Thursday, the 1st, for a month's visit with her sister, Mrs. Edward Johnson, 56 S. Ewing St. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Green entertained the Rookies who entrained from our city on the 1st. The dinner was given on the 23rd and covers were laid for nine. The Pleasant Hour Club met on the beautiful lawn of the Broad-water Hotel the afternoon of the 31st. This is the first opportunity since its organization the men have had to enjoy the hospitality of this new popular club. Refreshments were served and a social good time was enjoyed until the afternoon was far spent. The gentlemen would be pleased to attend other meetings of like character. A letter from Jack Napper informs us that he is aboard one of Uncle Sam's Sub chasers and is in port somewhere on the Sound.

Mrs. C. C. Matthews and daughter, Florence, left for Tacoma on the 8th for a visit with Sergt. Charles C. Matthews, who is stationed at Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash. Sergt. Matthews has seen service in Cuba and the Philippine Islands and is now retired, but has the supervision and issuing of Grain at Camp Lewis. Mrs. Matthews' visit with her husband will extend to the middle of next month. Rev. C. N. Douglas held Quarterly Conference at St. James A. M. E. Church on the 2nd. The reports indicate that considerable pep has been put into the work during the past month or six weeks. Preparations are being made for a grand week during Annual Conference, which meets here next month. The Evangelists, Miss Myler and Keys were given a royal send off upon leaving Helena. Besides a substantial financial token of Helena's esteem, a very pretty wrist watch was presented to Miss Myler. On Wednesday evening, the 31st, Miss Keys preached a soul stirring sermon which carried one back to the days when shouting was the rule and not the exception. Both ladies accompanied by a party of admiring friends ascended Mount Helena, 5000 ft., and there partook of a breakfast of fried (censored.) They are anxious to see Helena again, and Helena is ready to greet them at any time in the future. The Busy Bee Club met with Mrs. Jefferson Harrison on the 1st. The first day of August found Helena aglow with patriotic enthusiasm, the occasion being the entraining of Lewis and Clarke county's contingent of colored boys for Camp Lewis. The parade formed on Broadway at seven o'clock and was led by the police, members of the fire department and the State Capital band. Adjutant Phil Freenan was marshal of the parade which was composed of fraternal patriotic and labor organizations. A purse of nearly \$85.00 was thrown into the large American flag carried by Red Cross girls in the parade. This sum was presented to the boys after the ceremonies. Henry Gerharz presided at the ceremonies and Lester Lobel, County Attorney, read the names of the boys. Miss Alice York and Miss Florence Matthews, dressed as Red Cross nurses placed the names of the recruits on the honor roll on the roster board as they were called. H. G. Pickett, President of the Commercial club delivered the address and gave generous praise to the Negro soldier and the race, and said the citizens of Helena stands firmly behind every soldier fighting for world's democracy, regardless of race, creed or color. After the ceremonies the colored citizens held a reception for the recruits at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Judge D. Hart. There was more speaking by Rev. C. H. Parsons, H. J. Baker, Mrs. Ada Hart, Rev. George F. Martin, Dr. L. M. Reef and H. G. Pickett, Secretary and President of the Commercial club, respectively. The recruits were Sam Welch, William Donnell and George Williams who entrained here: George Robnett, entraining at Columbia, Mo., and Martina Queasy who entrained at Oakland, Calif. The colored people turned out in force, but the ceremonies at the roster board were conducted by the whites, excepting that of placing the names. The large flag carried in the parade was held by white Red Cross girls. The boys left the following morning amid the cheering of many friends.

PLEASANT HILL, MO.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Williams of Perry, Iowa, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gudgell. Mrs. Susie Ritchie and daughter Percella are visiting Mrs. Amanda Wood. Mrs. Charline Davis and daughters, who have been visiting Mrs. Albert Bryant, were the recipients of much social attention.

while here. Mrs. A. Wood entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. Ingram, Mr. George Ewing, Miss May Ray, Mrs. Kid Johnson and Tecola Ray at dinner Sunday. Mr. Ben Steward of Harrisonville spent Sunday here. Miss Florence Lee and Cleo Page of Harrisonville are visiting relatives here. Mrs. Harry Brown is visiting in the city. Mrs. Albert Bryant entertained a few friends at dinner Wednesday in honor of her sister. Miss Francis Bryant is visiting in Independence. Mrs. Rosa C. Gibson entertained a number of friends at lunch Monday. The Baptist Church held a rally Sunday and raised \$310. Mrs. Amanda Wood brought in the largest amount of money, \$111.27. Miss Thelma Bryant and Zella Turner visited in Independence this week. Mrs. Rosa C. Gibson has been appointed Chairman of The Council of Defense for this district. Mrs. J. S. Moten is chairman of the Child Welfare Committee. Gillespie Wilkerson left for Camp Funston Thursday.

COLUMBIA, MO.

Dr. Clement Richardson spoke at the St. Paul A. M. E. Church Wednesday night in behalf of Lincoln Institute. After the speaking, Dr. Richardson was escorted to the Y. M. C. A. rooms where the leading citizens tendered him a banquet. Prof. Ernest Boone, Jr., was toastmaster. Each one present promised their support to Dr. Richardson to help him make Lincoln Institute to the Negroes of Missouri what the State University is to the whites. Sixty-five of our boys left Monday for Camp Funston, Kansas.

BUTTE, MONT.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Phelps are in from their ranch for a few days. Mr. Phelps being ill. Mrs. A. Birthright and son, C. F. Davis left Thursday for Seattle, Wash., to visit the former's son and daughter for an indefinite period. Mrs. A. L. Chappelle will occupy their residence while her bungalow is being erected. Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Lewis have moved to W. Silver street and will be ready to meet all their friends in a few days. Mrs. Sheets is now making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Jesse H. Smith. The Stockholders of the Trusty Mining Co., held its meeting last week and transacted some very important business. The Booker T. Club is now organized and has elected the following officers: C. F. Jones, President, Mrs. Sarah Johnson Vice-President, John Palmer, Secretary and Mrs. Addie Birthright Treasurer. The Colored population turned out at Bethel Baptist church to a reception given for our boys who are entrained for Camp Lewis August 2nd. The Sunday school had an ideal day for their picnic July 31st and all report an enjoyable time as any one can always enjoy a day at the gardens. Hiram Dunn Jr., is in a precarious condition at this writing and little hope is held out for his recovery. Jerry Larkins is very much in need of a good barber, 416 S. Main street. Everybody's News Stand carries all the leading books, papers and magazines. Mr. Smith has enlarged the store considerably since the opening and it is now necessary to enlarge it more as business con-

pleased at having Mrs. Sadie Dimery of Kansas City, Rev. M. S. Bryant of Liberty, and Rev. Lovell of Lathrop, take part on the program. Mrs. R. L. Robinson and Mrs. Geo. Kelly of Kansas City, came home Thursday to visit their mother and other relatives going to camp. Mr. Geo. Garrison is suffering from painful injuries received while trying to stop a runaway horse last week. Miss Bertha Watkins of Kansas City is visiting her mother, Mrs. Louella Clay. We wish to correct an item in last week's news, in which we stated that Mr. Tate and Miss Bertha Watkins motored to St. Joseph, it was Miss Lucille Scott, who motored to St. Joseph.

BIG PARADE AND MEETING IN HONOR SELECTS TO LEAVE.

Quincy, Ill.—Not since the dawn of their freedom have the Negro people of Quincy held a greater patriotic jubilee than was staged on the "community platform" in Washington Park Thursday night in honor of 44 Negro soldiers who leave this morning at 7:30 o'clock for Camp Dodge. From the time that the head of a column of marching men and women, the flower of the race in Quincy passed into the park, after parading down Hampshire street and around the park from the postoffice, to the final singing of the national anthem Negro speakers emphasized the fact that they were grateful for the blessing of liberty that they enjoy and that they were willing to make the supreme sacrifice to carry liberty, free-

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ROSEDALE, KANSAS.

Mr. T. T. Moten is ill at his residence, 3829 Adams street, with pneumonia. Master Clifford Ridley is convalescing from his recent illness. The Choir of the Pleasant Valley Baptist Church will give a Bazaar August 5 and 16. Thursday night will be Ladies' night and Friday will be Men's night. The public is invited to attend both programs. Miss Bell Thomas and Thomas Henderson were quietly married Wednesday, July 31, in this city. Mrs. J. L. Pearson returned from the Kaw Valley District Association which convened in Lawrence, Kans., last week. Mrs. Pearson was delegate to the Pleasant Valley Mission Circle and reports a pleasant trip. Quite a number of our boys in this trip have been called to serve their country. Among them are Theodore Sims, John Sims, William Clay, Owen Johnson, Luther Young, Stanley Gray, Sheridan Allen, Arthur Palmer, Franklin Barber, Othello Wilson, Benjamin Palmer and others whose names we were unable to obtain. We feel proud of these splendid young men who are going to help win the war. The Rosedale Cornet Band gave a picnic in Marty's Grove August 4 and had quite a success. The band is composed of quite a number of boys who live in Rosedale and we wish for them a great success.

SALISBURY, MO.

Last Friday evening at the U. B. F. & S. M. T. Hall was a scene of patriotic demonstration long to be remembered by the Citizens of Salisbury given in honor of these Colored boys who are soon to entrain for Fort Dodge, Ia. J. H. Evans, W. M. of Jupiter Lodge No. 157 was Master of Ceremonies and introduced the Rev. D. Mosely of the M. E. Church who complimented the boys very highly on their having the opportunity to serve their Country and help make it safe for Democracy. Addresses were delivered by Prof. W. E. Bailey, Rev. Ramsey of the A. M. E. church, Rev. Hancock of the Christian church.

tinues to grow. Mr. Geo. Armstrong entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Williams of El Paso, Tex. Covers were laid for six. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Amos Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis and daughter, Vivienne and the host.

WEIR, KANSAS.

The Ministers and Deacons Union of the Southeastern District Assn. and the Women's Home and Foreign Mission Convention held one of their best sessions since its organization at the St. John Baptist Church last week. Rev. C. Teal of Independence succeeded Rev. D. A. Jefferson as Moderator of the S. E. Assn. Rev. G. W. Livingstone Vice Moderator. Mrs. Pitts of Coffeyville succeeded Mrs. D. A. Ellis as President of the Woman's Home and Foreign Mission Convention. Mrs. Mary Hughes, a resident of this city twenty-five years was stricken with Palsy Tuesday July 23rd and died Tuesday morning July 30 at 8:00 o'clock. The funeral was held under the auspices of the Daughters of the Tabernacle. Rev. H. Prentice officiated. Prof. E. J. Hawkins of Fort Scott was a pleasant caller at the residence of Mrs. A. R. Phillips, and after shaking hands with old friends here left immediately for Pittsburg, Kansas. Many friends attended the funeral of Brother F. B. Crowder of Cherokee, August 4. Mr. A. R. Phillips is still on the sick list but is somewhat better this week.

PLATTSBURG, MO.

The railroad entertainment given by Mrs. America Shade and Mrs. Winie Scott, Friday night for the benefit of the Baptist church, was quite a success. Mrs. Jane Porte, Mrs. Minnie Penoyer and Mrs. Amanda Young, were dinner guests at the residence of Mrs. L. P. Shade, last Saturday. A very splendid patriotic program was rendered Sunday evening at the A. M. E. church, in honor of eight more of our boys who left Monday, for Camp Funston. We were

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